

Sri P. M. NADGOUDA.—It is a matter of internal management. Government cannot oblige you in this matter.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ನಾಗಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಸೊಸೈಟಿಯವರು ರೂಲ್ಸ್ ಅಂಡ್ ರೆಗ್ಯುಲೇಷನ್ ತತ್ತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ವಿರುದ್ಧವಾಗಿ ನಡೆದರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏನಾದರೂ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಿ. ಎಂ. ನಾಡಗೌಡ.—ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಈ ರೂಲ್ಸ್‌ನ್ನು ಅಪ್ಪೂ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇಂತಹ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಿಗೆ ರೂಲ್ಸ್‌ನ್ನು ಸ್ಪೋನ್ ಫೀಡಿಂಗ್ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ನಾಗಪ್ಪ.—ರೂಲ್ಸ್‌ನ್ನು ವಯಲೇಟ್ ಮಾಡುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏನಾದರೂ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಿ. ಎಂ. ನಾಡಗೌಡ.—ಅವರು ರೂಲ್ಸ್‌ನ್ನು ವಯಲೇಟ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಸುಮ್ಮನೆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಹಾಕಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದುವರೆಗೆ ಯಾವುದೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಂತಹ ನಿದರ್ಶನಗಳು ಏನಾದರೂ ತಂದರೆ ಸಹಾಯ ಮಾಡಬಹುದು.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—There are so many complaints against the society because they have refused to give Rs. 5 shares ?

Sri P. M. NADGOUDA.—Sir, I emphatically refute it. It is a first class society in the State, which earns a profit of Rs. 5,000 per year. It is running very well. Business is exceedingly good. It is working to the entire satisfaction of this Government.

Appointment of Joint Director of Medical Education

302. **Sri K. H. RANGANATH (Mudigere).**—

Will the Minister for Health and Housing be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the present Joint Director of Medical Education satisfies the conditions laid down in the Cadre and Recruitment Rules to hold the post ;

(b) if not, the circumstances that weighed in his favour to appoint him to that post ?

A.—Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Minister for Health and Housing).—

(a) Yes.

(b) Does not arise.

Sri K. H. RANGANATH.—May I know the post-graduate qualification prescribed for this post under the Cadre and Recruitment Rules ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Under the Cadre and Recruitment Rules it is said : ' a post-graduate degree in Medical Sciences.'

Sri K. H. RANGANATH.—Does the Joint Director of Medical Education possess that degree of post-graduate education ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—He possesses qualification equal to post-graduate degree.

Sri SIDDIAH KASIMATH.—May I know what are the conditions required to be fulfilled under this Rule? Is it only the qualification?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Sir, under the Cadre and recruitment Rules it is said:

“by promotion by selection from cadre of DEEN and if no suitable person from this cadre is available then by promotion by selection from amongst the Superintendents of Major Hospital or from the cadre of Professors and Associate Professors in the Medical Colleges in the Mysore Medical Service.”

That is the mode of recruitment. Qualification required is, Degree in Medicine and post-graduate degree in Medical Sciences.

Sri H. PUTTADASA.—Sir, is M.P.H. a degree or a certificate course?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—M.P.H. has been considered as I already submitted, as equivalent to post-graduate qualification.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಹೆಚ್. ಜಯಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ನಾರಾಯಣ್.—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಎಮ್.ಪಿ.ಎಚ್. ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ಮೆಡಿಕಲ್ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲ್‌ನವರು ಇದು ಒಂದು ಡಿಪ್ಲೊಮಾಗೆ ಸಮಾನ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ಎನಾ ಒಂದು ಡಿಗ್ರಿ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಲಿಲ್ಲ ಅಲ್ಲವೇ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—There again I would like to read for the benefit of the House the recommendation of the Medical Committee which has been accepted by the Indian Medical Council:

“The Postgraduate Medical Education Committee recommends that the M.P.H. and Dr. P. H. qualifications of Public Health Schools in U.S.A. affiliated to the John Hopkins, Harvard University and the University of California (Berkley) be considered sufficient post-graduate qualifications adequate in scope to D.P.H. and M.D. (Social and Preventive Medicine) qualifications granted by the Indian Universities respectively for purposes of appointment of teachers in Medical Colleges, provided the holders thereof are Medical Graduates and possess the requisite teaching experience.”

Sri SIDDIAH KASIMATH.—Are there any officers who have fulfilled these conditions in the Medical Department?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—There are.

Sri S. M. KRISHNA.—Do your cadre and recruitment rules say that equal qualification is enough for appointment? If it is not so, how did you appoint that man?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—There is a paucity of persons holding the Doctorate Degree in Public Health in our country. Therefore the Medical Education Committee thought about it and said that this MPH is sufficient post-graduate qualification for appointment as professors.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Has it come to the notice of Government that by creating these posts of Joint Directors in the Directorate of Health

Services, the Director of Health Services is all in all like a *Satrap* and does not allow these officers to function independently and that is because you have not given them different staff and every paper has to pass through the officials who are subordinate to the Director who in turn give it a twist before it comes to Government? Has this fact come to the notice of Government?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Unfortunately I have to fight against internal dissensions. It is only recently, two years ago, these two Departments, namely, the Department of Public Health and the Department of Medicine were amalgamated into the Department of Health Services. In such circumstances there is always bound to be teething trouble. Functions and duties had not been delegated. Government have since delegated functions to the Joint Directors and other subordinate officers and I am sure the Government Order is implemented. Now there will be sufficient decentralisation and the Department will work efficiently.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Do these teething troubles continue for two years? Does it not show that this Minister is helpless and ineffective to give effect to what he intends and is a tool in the hands of his Director and he cannot do any thing to set right matters?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—The hon'ble member is entitled to hold any opinion he likes of myself, but I must refute what he says. I would only say that the Department is functioning effectively and all necessary orders are being passed and there is absolutely no inefficiency at the level of Director.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Have not your Joint Directors complained to you that they cannot do anything because the Director is a stumbling block?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I have already submitted to the House it is unfortunate that I have to fight against internal dissensions. It is regretful that certain officers should go round with their own difficulties, ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಒಂದು ಗಾದೆ ಹೇಳುವುದಾದರೆ, 'ಕುಣಿಯಲಾರದ ಸೂಳೆ ನೆಲ ಹೊಂಕು' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದಂತಾಗಿದೆ.

Charges made against the Tahsildar of Kanakapura Taluk

303. **Sri H. PUTTADASA (Sathanur).**—

Will the Minister for Revenue and Forests be pleased to state :—

(a) whether there was any investigation conducted by Vigilance and Anti-corruption Department against the previous Tahsildar of Kanakapura taluk ;

(b) the stage at which the investigation stands at present ;

(c) the charges made against him ?